[Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai.]

as the Chief Engineer and of Mr. Balakrishna Row as the Office Assistant?

(4) If the answer is in the affirmative, will the Government be pleased to state the reason?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*):

(1) (*a*) 1098 ... 66 days.
1099 ... 95 days.
1100 ... 91 days to the end of Mithunam.

(*b*) 1098 Four days' halt, and 12 days' inspection of works in the Chirayinkil taluk without halt.
1099 A day's halt and 20 days' inspection without halt.
1100 A day's halt and 15 days' inspection without halt to the end of Mithunam.

(*c*)	*On horse-back.*	*On foot.*	*On bicycle.*
1098	*Nil.*	38 miles	*Nil.*
1099	*Nil.*	30 miles	*Nil.*
1100 to the end of Mithunam	28 miles	33 miles	*Nil.*

(*d*) 1090—Messrs. F. J. Jacob and A. H. Bastow.
1095—Messrs. O. S. Barrow and F. J. Jacob.

(2) No.

(3) No.

(4) This does not call for any reply in view of the answer to part (3).

Number of Schoolmasters and Schoolmistresses in Primary Schools.

137. **MR. C. P. TARAKAN** (*Kunnatnad*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the number of schoolmasters and schoolmistresses in all the Primary Schools of the State, both Government and grant-in-aid?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): The statement* asked for by the member relating to departmental schools is laid on the table.

The statement relating to aided schools is not available at present.

Registry or lease of the Karakkattu Reserve.

138. **MR. C. P. TARAKAN** (*Kunnatnad*): Will the Government be pleased to register the Karakkattu Reserve in Manjapara *pakuthi* or sanction the cultivation of the same on *Kuthakapattam* tenure, as the reserve does not contain any substantial tree growth?

MR. N. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government on other duty*): The area of the reserve is 915 acres. It was finally notified under Section 18 of the Forest Regulation on the 16th Makaram 1099. It is

* *Vide* appendix—I page 880.

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Appendix I.

Vide **Answer to Question No. 137.**

Statement of teachers in Departmental Primary Schools.

Details.		*Number.*	
		Males.	*Females.*
1. Boys' Schools.		(1)	(2)
Headmasters	...	567	
Teachers of Class IV	...	67	
Teachers of Classes I—III	...	2,506	
Arabic Munshis	...	13	
Koran teachers	...	46	
Total	...	3,193	
2. Girls' Schools.			
Headmasters or Headmistresses	...	47	105
Teachers of Class IV	...	...	4
Teachers of Classes I—III	...	14	504
Bhagavatars	...	88	39
Sewing Mistresses	...	...	150
Arabic Munshis	...	3	...
Total	...	147	802
Totals of (1) and (2)	...	3,340	802

Statement of teachers in Primary sections in Departmental Vernacular Middle and Vernacular High Schools.

1. Boys' Schools.			
Teachers of Class IV	...	271	...
Teachers of Classes I—III	...	737	...
Total	...	1,008	
2. Girls' Schools.			
Teachers of Class IV	...	27	74
Teachers of Classes I—III	...	14	504
Total	...	41	578
Totals of (1) and (2)	...	1,049	578

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